You have received this message because you are listed as a contact in the IDEA budget software. Please forward this message to anyone you believe could benefit from this information. This listserv is open to the public, and anyone can sign up to receive these messages at http://dpi.wi.gov/sped/lpp-budgets.html#listserv

Seeking Information on ARRA Expenditure Plans

Help us help you spend down ARRA-IDEA funds! All ARRA-IDEA funds must be expended by September 30, 2011, the end of the project period. What progress have you made? What are your plans? We are gathering information to help LEAs spend their allocations. Just nine painless questions. Please respond by May 18, 2010. Answer the questions here: http://lists.dpi.wi.gov/subscribe/survey?f=11

Webinars Scheduled for IDEA Budget Updates

There are two more webinars scheduled to go over the IDEA budget software updates. Materials from these presentations will be archived at http://dpi.wi.gov/sped/lpp-budgets.html. The webinars cover: Copying over fiscal year 2010 Budgets, Capital Equipment, Non-Capital Electronics, Title I Schoolwide Funding, CEIS, Personnel FTE, and other reminders regarding starting a new fiscal year.

- 1:30 p.m., Thursday, May 13 https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/340734402
- 9:30 a.m., Monday, May 24 https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/652756754

Fiscal year 2011 budgets, both regular flow-through and preschool, must be submitted by July 1, 2010. In addition, all LEAs must submit IDEA assurances signed by the district administrator, by July 1, 2010. Copies of the assurances can be downloaded from http://www.dpi.wi.gov/sped/lpp-assurances.html. The assurance form is dated "07-09."

Time & Effort Reporting Webinar Scheduled for 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, May 12

Answers to questions asked during the previous March webinar have been answered to the best of our ability, and we'll go over those questions during the May 12 webinar. After the webinar, the time and effort reporting technical assistance documents will be updated with frequently asked questions and answers.

There is still time to sign up for the webinar: https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/454710802